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FM AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM PRIORITY

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 122

AMEMBASSY LISBON

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AMEMBASSY ROME

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ROME FOR VAT

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, PINDS, PO

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE SHIFT IN FRELIMO TACTIC WITH
PORTUGUESE

REF: LUSAKA 827, LUSAKA 871

1. WE ARE CONCERNED WITH DAR DATELINE REPORT IN MAY 9
TIMES OF ZAMBIA TO EFFECT FRELIMO LEADER SAMORA MACHEL
APPEARS -- IF PROPERLY QUOTED -- TO HAVE REVERSED HIS
POSITION FROM NO RPT NO CONDITIONS ON READINESS TO NEGOTIATE
WITH SPINOLA JUNTA TO RESUMPTION OF MILITARY ACTIVITY TO FORCE
DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE. LOOK FORWARD TO DAR COMMENT ON
ANY REAL SHIFT IN POSITION.

2. SUCH A CHANGE COULD UNDERCUT ZAMBIAN 10-POINT
FRAMEWORK FOR NEGOTIATIONS TOWARD SELF-
DETERMINATION AND WE WONDER IF SUDDEN DEPARTURE FROM
LUSAKA OF PRESIDENTIAL ADVISOR MARK CHONA (FOR
DAR ES SALAAM?) IS NOT AN ATTEMPT TO PERSUADE MACHEL
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TO RETURN TO HIS EARLIER POSITION. THIS SEEMS NECESSARY

TO FACILITATE ENTREATIES CHONA WILL BE MAKING IN ROME,
LONDON AND POSSIBLY LISBON TO GET DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS
STARTED.
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